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## PEOPLE TALK.

You may get through the world, but 'twill be very slow

If you listen in all that is said as you go.

You'll be surprised and amazed, and kept in a stew.

For middle-aged tongues will have something to say.

For people will talk.

That four humble positions are only assumed.

You're a well-to-do chap, or a poor fellow, or a fool.

But don't get excited, keep perfectly cool.

For people will talk.

If generous and noble, they'll vent out their spleen.

You'll have some hot hints that you're selfish, and mean.

If spiteful and honest, and fair in the day.

They'll call you a rogue in a sly sneaking way.

For people will talk.

And then if you show the least bit of heart.

In a slight inclination to take your own part.

They'll call you an egotist, conceited and vain.

But keep straight ahead, don't stop to explain.

For people will talk.

If you're in the fashion, don't think to escape.

For you're (like them) in a different shape.

You're about as good as money, or your father's capital.

But mind your own business, there's nothing to be said.

For people will talk.

Now the best way to do is to do as you please.

For you mind it if you have one will then to ease.

Of course you will meet with all sorts of abuse.

But don't think to stop them, let any one sue.

For people will talk.

A STRANGE IDOL.

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## Why He Named Him Judas Escariot.

My wife bez jos' presented me

With a fine boy in his country, said

Black Bill, entering a Little Rock

magistrate's office, taking off his hat

and stinging perspiration from his

forehead.

"Yas, gen'lman," he went on, "de

fine's chile I ever seed. An' I've jes

got a \$20 gold piece right here ter gib

de man what can guess what I hez

named him. Ter keep yer from

spredin' ober de whole universe ob

names, I'll state dat hits a little

name."

"Abraham," I guessed some one.

"Nor sah."

"Paul?"

"Nor sah."

"Gusts agin."

"Nickolems?"

"Keep or count."

"Abimelech?"

"Try me agin."

The guesser ceased after a time, and

finally hit remarked:

"I've named dat boy Judas Escariot."

"What," said the magistrate, "Judas

betrayed our Savior."

"Can't hep hit. Dat's de boy's

name. Judas hez been slighted. No

body has eber had de immortal cour-

age ter name a chile for dat man.

But dat ain't de main reason why I

names him Judas. 'I've got de Bible

ter stain me in gibin' de chile dat

name."

"How does the Bible sustain you in

desiring to perpetuate that name?"

asked the magistrate.

"Hit's de fact, Chris' in remarkin'

ob Judas said dat hit would bab bin

better for dat man ob he hadn't been

born."

"Well."

"An' considerin' how many mouf

is opened at de do' when I goes home

wid a side ob meat, it would hah bin

better for dat boy ob mine ob he had

never seed de daylight. I knows

what I'm talkin' about. I take de

scripture from de references. In de

future of I finds dat de boy hez made

a improvement ob himself, den I'll

change his name to Jim."—[Little

Rock Gazette.

## A Land Without Laughter.

The Irish have been described by

novelists and travelers as a light-

hearted and rollicking people—full of

fun and quick in repartee—a devil-

care race of folks, equally ready to

dance or to fight. I have not found

them so. I found them in the West of

Ireland a sad and despondent people,

care-worn, broken-hearted and shrouded

in gloom.

Never once in the hundreds of cabins

that I entered—never once even—

did I see a merry eye or hear the

sound of a merry voice. Old men

and boys, old women and girls—

young men and maidens—all of them,

without a solitary exception, were

grave or haggard, and every household

looked as if the plague of the first born

had smitten it that day. Rachel,

weeping for her children, would have

passed unnoticed among these wan-

hearted peasants, or, if she had been

noticed, they would only have said,

"she is one of us." A home without

a child is cheerless enough, but here

is a whole region without a child's

laugh in it. Cabins full of children,

and no boisterous glee! No need to

## What a Fire Policy Covers.

Fire insurance policies do not in-

clude in their indemnity among other

things the following: "Fences and other

fixtures, and plate-glass doors and

windows when the plates are of the

dimensions of three feet or more."

It is important that this fact be

mentioned in the wording of the poli-

cy, if such articles are to be included

under the policy. Careless, ignorant

or unsophisticated brokers and agents

very frequently make mistakes in this

respect.

The following articles are also not

included in the security of a fire in-

surance policy, unless mentioned, viz:

jewelry, plate, watches, musical in-

struments, ornaments, metals, curios-

ities, patterns, printed books, printed

music engravings, printing, picture

frames, sculpture, casts and models,

money or bullion, bills, notes, ac-

counts, deeds, evidences of debt or

securities. These should always be

specified.

If a building falls, no insurance

will attach, or cover its loss, unless it

is caused by fire.

Stolen property is not to be paid

for by the insurance company.

Losses from explosions are not to

be paid, unless fire ensues, and then

only actual fire loss is to be settled

for.

Property standing on leased ground

must be so represented to the company

and expressed in the policy.

Goods on storage must be insured

as such.

The assured, in case of a fire, must

invariably do his best to save it, and

carelessness in this respect will vitiate

his claim. In no instance shall he

abandon his premises to firemen or

thieves.

Where a party has a reliable and

intelligent representative, agent or

broker, whose business it is to study

these points, and consult his own and

the assured's interest by so doing, it is

sometimes safer to risk it by attending

to the insurance himself.

## Advice to Girls.

In marrying make your own match;

do not marry a man to get rid of

him, or to oblige him, or to save



# The Interior Journal.

STANFORD, KY.

Friday Morning, June 4, 1890.

H. F. WALTON, Editor.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Circuit Judge, M. H. WATSON.  
For County Attorney, H. C. WARREN.  
For Circuit Clerk, J. A. BAILEY.  
For Sheriff, S. B. BAUGHMAN.

We read a great deal of abuse of Mr. Henry Watterson, much of which is caused by jealousy and much by a mistaken idea that it is "independent" to do so. We have differed with the honorable gentleman repeatedly, and have as repeatedly said so, but we can see no earthly reason to abuse a man simply because he happens to differ in opinion. Mr. Watterson has made some mistakes, as all of us are liable to do, but, on the whole, he has furnished his readers with sound views, and the *Courier-Journal* is an acknowledged power wherever it circulates. In his zeal to see the great wrong redressed that was perpetrated on the people by the Republican party, in refusing to seat Mr. Tilden when elected President of the United States, and at the same time to vindicate the old Sage, he grew most too enthusiastic and demanded instructions for him by the Kentucky Democracy, in language that appeared exceedingly dictatorial. To this we, in common with a majority of the "rural" newspapers, together with a bulk of the masses, objected, and when Mr. Watterson saw that he had floundered, he immediately, like a wise man, acknowledged it, and is now, like a lot of us, for sending patriotic and sensible delegates to the National Convention, undisciplined. We all recollect how well Mr. Watterson played his part in the St. Louis Convention, and how diligently and successfully he labored in securing the election of the ticket that was then nominated. His experience and wise counsel are needed now, and we believe that the Democracy of the State could do itself no greater honor than to send him as a delegate at large to the Cincinnati Convention. Tomorrow afternoon mass meetings will be held in all the counties of the State for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention. A recommendation for Mr. Watterson as delegate at large would be a deserved compliment, and we hope that all the counties may consider the matter.

Last week we incidentally said in these columns that Blunt Duncan was a blatherer. We did not suppose that even that old exorcism on the body politic could object to a name so well earned, but from the following card it seems that he does. Hear him: "I have a faint recollection you once wrote me asking a favor before you moved to Stanford, and then you did not call me a 'blatherer.' Your good opinion is not very valuable to me, though you do edit a paper. Certainly you will never lend me 'respectable' money, which I will seek to 'kill' by supporting it. The world is large enough, and you will never cross mine; so don't tear your shirt, but attempt to lead a virtuous life, and you may be happy."

Now Blunt, oh boy, you know as well as we do that your first proposition about our asking a favor of you, is manufactured out of whole cloth. We never have, and pray God we never may be so far gone as to apply to you for a favor. We have, however, received a number of documents from you which you wished us to reproduce, the most absurd of which was the claim that you wrote many of Geo. D. Prentice's articles for him. A man that would thus try to rob the dead is not worth noticing, and if our readers will excuse us this time we will do so no more. The *Courier-Journal* is wasting valuable ammunition on mighty small game, and is belittling itself by bringing the "Blatherer" so much into the notoriety that he covets.

The Harrodsburg *Observer* places the name of Hon. P. H. Thompson at the head of its column and requests that its Democratic contemporaries do the same. This it says will obviate the trouble of a primary election, which is a necessity exists for it. The "constituted authorities" have fixed a primary election to nominate a candidate for Congress, and unless that method is changed, the newspapers have no right to fix any other way. Let us follow the law as laid down or get the Committee to change it, then there can be no trouble in the matter.

Gen. Wm. C. Wickham, the courteous Vice President of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad has, through Major N. H. Hotchkiss, tendered the hospitality of his road to the Press Association of Kentucky, and Col. G. L. Peyton, Proprietor of the White Sulphur Springs, has extended an invitation to the Association to be his guests. These courtesies are highly appreciated, and the members will do all in their power to return the kindness.

Acting under a call of the State Democratic Executive Committee, the Democrats of Lincoln will assemble at the Court-House at Stanford on Saturday, June 8th, at 2 o'clock, p. m., to select delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Lexington on the 17th of June. District Electors will be elected, and State Electors recommended.

We are indebted to the Louisville Post for special favors.

## The Chicago Convention.

As early as Saturday last the "buses" and many of the delegates to the National Republican Convention at Chicago began to arrive, and by Monday the full force had made its appearance. The anti Grant men achieved the first victory by securing an agreement that George F. Hoar should be temporary Chairman, and that the unit rule should not be enforced. This was arranged Tuesday, and at 1 o'clock Wednesday the Convention was called to order by Don Cameron in the Exposition building, whose amphitheatre is capable of seating 3,000 persons, and Hoar elected, as above. After a call of the States, Senator Conkling, leaving the result of the first ballot, which was claimed would elect Grant, moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock yesterday which was carried. At 4 o'clock last evening we received the following: (Special Dispatch to the *Terrace* Journal.)

CHICAGO, ILL., June 3.—Grant opens show signs of a break, though leaders put on a hopeful air. The Committee on Credentials was in session all night and since 11 o'clock to-day. There will be a big fight over its report. Convention adjourned 11:55 p. m. No ballot can be possible here before to-morrow.

So far the anti-Grant men have shown wonderful ability in handling affairs. They have the Temporary Chairmanship, with the agreement by the Committee on Permanent Organization that Hoar shall continue as Permanent Chairman. They have the Committee on Credentials by a large majority, and by a close count of votes it has been found that Grant will lack at least sixty votes of a majority on the first ballot. Blaine men claim 300 on the first ballot, John Sherman 100, and Edmunds, who is looked on as a dark horse in case of a row, has about 50. At present the skies are not rosy above the head of the would-be Duke of America, and his chances to again get possession of the Government are not promising by any means.

Two negroes were recently indicted in the Bourbon Circuit Court for cutting another negro with intent to kill. Their attorneys took the case before Judge Barr, of the United States Court, on a writ of *habeas corpus*, alleging that as the Grand Jury that indicted them was composed entirely of white men, according to the Constitution of Kentucky which excludes negro jurors in direct contradiction of the Constitution of the United States, the indictment was informal and void. Judge Barr sustained this view of the case and declared that the indictments were quashed. The negroes were liberated after being held a few hours to await the orders of the Bourbon Court, but none being received they were set at liberty. The State Legislature during its recent session refused to strike the word "white" from the jury laws, and it is now said that an extra session may have to be called, as the decision of Judge Barr is in conformity with the decision of the United States Supreme Court. Either the law will have to be changed or negroes can take advantage of the precedent and go scot free of their crimes.

The worthlessness of the average Assessor and the manner in which he seeks a reelection, by fixing the value of property at the lowest figures, is being seen all over the State. The Supervisors of Owen county, for instance, have increased the taxable valuation of the property of that county over \$700,000 above the figures of the Assessor. Our Legislature ought to have made some change in the law governing these officers.

Born Houses of the Legislature passed a bill striking "White" from the jury laws of the State, but owing to the inexcusable carelessness of the person whose duty it was to attend to such matters, it was never enrolled, and now it is more than probable that an extra session of that worthless body will be called, which will cost the State not less than \$7,500 for three days.

The Kentucky Press Association might keep up the Tennessee Association, which charges \$5 per head, yearly membership fee to regular accredited members, by fixing the yearly dues of the hangers on at \$25. If such a rule were enforced the "hangers-on," whose name is legion, would pretty soon stop hanging.

The candidates for District delegates to the Cincinnati Convention are Col. Mat. Walton, Capt. R. D. Logan, Dr. Geo. Perkins, W. H. Smith and H. C. Baker, all good and true Democrats. Lincoln has no candidate, but will most likely recommend Col. Walton and Dr. Perkins.

Col. J. STEPHENSON JOHNSTON, of Frankfort, a most effective speaker, a man of great personal magnetism, and a Democrat in whom there is no guile, is spoken of as one of the electors for the State at large. A better selection could not be made.

Mr. GEORGE C. COHEN, County Attorney of Anderson, is a candidate for District Elector and would make a good one, but Lincoln can do nothing for him this time. Her eloquent and learned Bauley is a candidate.

## NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—In May 7,000 immigrants arrived in the United States.  
—Horace Myrland has been confirmed Postmaster General.  
—Seventy-six colored people left Arkansas this week for Liberia.  
—Dennis Kearney is out of jail, and is again agitating. He might be hung.  
—Cerro-Gordo Williams has made an excellent speech in Congress on the bill to pension soldiers of the Mexican war.  
—The public debt, according to Secretary Sherman's statement, was decreased during the month of May \$15,028,083.  
—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, will deliver the Commencement Oration at Sayre Institute, Lexington, Ky., to-night.

—The Government's winter power at Harper's Ferry was offered at auction last week, but was withdrawn, only \$10,000 being offered.  
—The corner of Montgomery has had his own game played upon him. He died of apoplexy, and a jury had to sit on him.  
—The Vulcan Iron Works at Chattanooga has suspended with liabilities of \$37,000. Over 600 men are thrown out of employment.  
—The Richmond (Va.) State says that Louisville, a town of only 400 inhabitants, half of them colored, has too many to prey upon them.

—Prince Leopold, Princess Louise and suite arrived at Toronto Saturday. They left for Niagara Falls Tuesday, and thence will visit Chicago.  
—Sixty thousand dollars worth of six percent. bonds of the city of Lexington, were disposed of Saturday to Albert Netter, of Cincinnati, at 104.60.  
—The Nevada Democratic delegation has been instructed to vote for Tilden, 3, Thurman 2 and Field 1.

—The sweet girl graduates of Warrenton College at Georgetown, will have the doubtful honor of receiving their diplomas from the hands of Gov. Blackburn.  
—Jere Little, who got a change of venue to Morgan county, was tried last week for the murder of Judge Burnett, of Breathitt. As usual the jury hung.  
—Judge Wm. Lindsay delivered the last speech in the Green-Hungas case yesterday, and the end of this great case is now in hand. If the jury does not hang.

—There is one woman in Savannah, Ga., but 26 years of age who has just become a grand-mother. At 13 she gave birth to a girl, who at the same age followed her example.  
—Rita fell in torrents in Bracket, Texas, last Saturday morning. The town was soon flooded, and a dozen houses carried away by the current. Over twenty persons were drowned.  
—The Louisville Narrow Gauge R. R. has been purchased in the interest of the Louisville & Cincinnati Short Line for \$200,000, and it is said that it will be extended to Harrodsburg.

—The proposed ship canal across the State of Florida has been surveyed, and the cost estimated at \$50,000,000—more, perhaps, than the entire State would bring in public auction.  
—Two headed "reincarnated" or outlaws of Lawrence County, Kentucky, surrendered to the Sheriff Saturday, and furnished the name of 800 for presentation to the grand jury.  
—A shooting scrape occurred in Adair Tuesday night, in which Taylor Smith, a lawyer, received two wounds in the breast at the hands of F. H. Winfrey. The wounds are not fatal.

—Last week New York was the hottest place in the United States, the thermometer registering for several days 95°, and on one occasion as high as 100. A number of deaths from sunstroke was reported.  
—The Pan Handle R. R. now makes the remarkably short time of 23½ hours from Cincinnati to New York, and the B. & O. R. R. takes you from Cincinnati to Washington in a little over 19 hours.  
—Ex-Empress Eugenie visited the spot in Zululand, on the 1st, where her son was killed just a year before by the same general. She refused to be comforted, and is said to be a complete wreck of her former self.

—The Court of Inquiry in the case of Cadet Whitaker unanimously finds that his wounds were inflicted by himself. The War Department has yet to pass upon the findings, and Whitaker has been ordered under arrest.  
—In the 6th Kentucky District during the year ending April 30th, there were produced and entered into bond 3,035,185 gallons of whisky, of which 2,770,995 gallons were withdrawn after a tax of \$2,404,145.50 was paid.  
—A negro boy named Charles Bolling hung about at Harrodsburg, Va., last Friday, for rape on a little white girl. Five other persons on the same day in various parts of the United States, went to glory by the hanging line.

—The Democrats of South Carolina, in Convention Wednesday, nominated Presidential Electors and a State ticket. Delegates to the National Convention were not instructed, but it is said that they will vote as a unit against Tilden.  
—The Richmond, Va., municipal election resulted in an overwhelming victory for the Conservatives over the Republicans and Democrats. The largest vote was polled when the payment of the capitation tax was required to qualify voters.  
—The Court of Claims in Madison last Monday, fixed the pay of the County Judge at \$900, and that of his Attorney at \$800 per annum. Besides board, which the Court pays not a good price, the keeper of the Poor House gets \$200 per year salary.

—Now that Owen Kennedy has joined the church, we take the liberty of announcing him for Chaplain of the Penitentiary. Like Houdin, he would prove his doctrine orthodox by exorcising bugs and snakes.  
—[Burlington Green Intelligencer.]  
—A disgraceful and brutal prize fight occurred at early day-break in Brook county, Va., Tuesday morning between Pat Ryan and Joe Grogan, resulting after 36 hard fought rounds, lasting one hour and twenty-seven minutes, in a complete victory for Ryan.

—The town of Waverly, on the Texas Pacific Railway, was visited by a terrible tornado on Friday night. Nineteen business houses, twenty dwellings and the railway depot were destroyed. Nine persons were instantly killed and sixty wounded. Only five houses escaped injury.  
—The twelfth popular drawing of the Commonwealth Distribution Company of Kentucky was held Monday at McCauley's Theater in the presence of a select audience. Ticket \$7.10 draw \$300,000; ticket \$6.75 draw \$100,000; ticket \$3.00 draw the third prize of \$5,000. The following tickets drew \$1,000 each: 59,929; 62,781 and 7,751.

—Several years ago a millionaire named Lewis, of Hoboken, N. J., bequeathed to the Government \$1,500,000 toward the payment of the public debt. The friends of Lewis contested the will on the grounds of insanity, but the Court decided he was of sound mind and has admitted the will to probate.  
—The steamer *Golden Eagle* was burned fifty miles above St. Louis, on Monday night, and three men and one negro perished in the flames. The cargo, consisting of 192 head of pigs, 3 mules, 2 horses, 200 tons of corn, hay and other produce, were all consumed. The boat was valued at \$50,000, and was partially insured.  
—The *Sunday Argus* says that the "great Jennings case" has proved to amount to nothing, as William Jennings (or Jennens) who died in 1708, never left any money in the Bank of England, and was never in chancery. The whole thing seems to have been a scheme of certain parties to induce credulous Americans to invest their spare cash in a house of cards and a harvest of British gold. So go all the fabulous English fortunes sought by American boys.

—We have received a pamphlet setting forth the strong points of Supreme Judge Stephen J. Field as a Presidential candidate, which may be summed up as follows: 1st. His place shown in various contests. 2nd. His comparative youth and personal vigor. 3rd. His record as a war Democrat. 4th. His State record. 5th. His high money record. 6th. His strict construction of the Constitution. 7th. His place in the Presidential Election of 1860. 8th. His freedom from extrajudicial complications. 9th. He has never voted a Republican ticket. 10th. His friends say that he is the only Democrat who can carry the Pacific States. 11th. He is an married man. 12th. He attends the Episcopal Church once every Sunday, though he does not fast in Lent.

—The following is the programme of festivities for this week and next. Friday night, 4th, an entertainment by the pupils of Ford Institute, Wednesday night, 5th, Bell Sealers' Commemoration. Friday night, 11th, Dr. Peatty's party to the Senior Class of Centre College. Saturday night, 12th, Presentation of two plays by the Danville Dramatic Club. College Commencement programme will be given next week. Several parties are spoken of and the town will be filled with top line maidens.

—PERSONAL.—The name of George C. Cohen is before the people as a candidate for Elector from this Congressional District. Mr. Cohen is a young man of ability and sterling integrity and the District could not find a more upright and worthy representative. Mr. Cohen is a native of Kentucky, and is now in the service of the Government. He is a member of the Kentucky Bar, and is a member of the Kentucky State Bar Association. He is a member of the Kentucky State Bar Association, and is a member of the Kentucky State Bar Association.

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—The last session of the Common Pleas Court in this county, will commence on the third Monday in June, the 21st Monday, the 11th, will be the last day for filing suits—15 appearances so far.  
—Two doctors—one foreign, the other domestic—raised a lively "row" over a patient at the Clemens House last Saturday. A rehearing of the affair in the Police Court caused some excitement. The foreigner was put under a \$30 bond to keep the peace and then silence fell. And now the doctor who was a threat and the voice of the turtle is heard in the land.  
—Rec. Thomas M. Vaughan, who has been a lawyer for some time, is expected to preach to his congregation at the Baptist Church on next Sunday morning. Rev. A. W. Kingland, of Berea, Ill., a graduate of Centre College in '72, was in Danville last week. Eld. J. B. McMillin will preach at Willow Grove on next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Philip Phillips and Son will give a Concert of Sacred Music at the Southern M. E. Church, next Thursday night.

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—Every Democrat in the county should be in attendance at the Mass Convention tomorrow (Saturday).  
—Hailers! Those wishing great gains can buy all sorts of goods at reduced prices for cash at M. F. Brinkley's.  
—The excessively warm weather of the week, gave place to a Northern wave Tuesday night. Wednesday the air was chill, and a misty rain, closely resembling snow, was falling.  
—The June term of our Common Pleas Court will begin next Tuesday. This is the last Court which Judge Beckwith will hold at this place. The docket for the coming term is light and trifling.  
—Tuesday night the roof of the "old stone stable," on the South side of Main Street, fell in with a terrible crash, which started the natives. The remains of the unsightly edifice should now be removed.  
—Chapman Millins bought from John McAleis his new mill, situated at Berea. The price paid was \$1,500 cash. Chapman will move the mill to the site of Roundstone, where timber of all sorts is plentiful.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by our County Court Clerk since last report: Samuel Day to Elizabeth McCall; James W. Brown to Pauline Sowder; Brenda W. Burnett to Mary J. Gable.  
—Before this is in print the Chicago Convention will be through its labor, and its younger may be christened. Whoever that younger may be, he is destined to be overwhelmed by the Democratic ballots in November. No Chicago baby can ever be President unless he is a Democrat.  
—Mr. J. L. Joplin, having tried in vain to drive the rats away from his barn by the use of rats, poles, etc., last Monday captured a large black snake and turned him loose in the building. At last he counts his snake-ship was no phreosic with the rodents as in millions of his purse it will greenback, and the crawling rats were fleeing in all directions.  
—The following are the census enumerators for this county: R. D. Cook, T. J. Field, S. W. Hand, and W. A. B. Davis. They began their work last Tuesday. Hon. Fry did not carry out his expressed intention of visiting the honors as far as this concerned, since all the gentlemen above named are Republicans. (Sam in Lincoln county with an exception.—Ed.)

—The Democrats of Rockcastle new called on a number of men in connection at the Court-house in Mt. Vernon, Saturday, June 5, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Lexington, June 17, 1890. A good attendance is requested. By order of the Executive Committee. SAM M. BURNETT, Chairman. J. J. HUNTER, Secretary.

—Miss Annie Woodall, of Brodhead, and Miss Lucy Mullins, of Oak Hill, are attending the Normal school at this place. Miss Ida Adams, a pretty little maid of this place, is visiting her sister, Miss C. S. Nield, at Point Lick. Mr. C. Z. Hill, the "boss" Louisville drummer, was in town Sunday. He left Monday for his quarterly mountain trip. Capt. Geo. G. Welch, of Stanford, was here on professional business this week. Mr. Isaac Stewart is absent in Jackson county. Mr. Thomas Miller, of Lancaster, is visiting his father, Mr. J. H. Miller.

—A Liver Regulator, Dr. Marshall's Brouncker is equal, if not superior, to any medicine on the market. We take no pains in running down other medicines and shall only say a trial of Brouncker will convince you of the truth. It is a vegetable compound and is a relief of a "bad time doctor," and we do not hesitate to say it is the best of its kind. It is the only medicine that will cure all the ailments of the human system, and it is the only medicine that will cure all the ailments of the human system. It is the only medicine that will cure all the ailments of the human system, and it is the only medicine that will cure all the ailments of the human system.

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HAY RAKES at Owsley & Higgins'. Examine the self-dumping rake.

Mrs. MARY A. WALLACE has a roachbed five years old with over 1500 rows on it.

HAMS.—If you want something sweet and nice get the Magnolia at Geo. D. Wearen's.

BORN.—Last week, to Mrs. Mollie L. Ingram, (nee Hamilton) of Louisville, a boy.

WE HAVE a few Manila Hats left, which we will close out at cost. Geo. H. Bruce & Co.

Mr. J. N. CRANE has again repaid his debt of gratitude to the citizens of Louisville.

TO PAINTERS.—A new plan paper cutter for sale cheap. Address, W. P. Walton, Stanford, Ky.

CART. L. T. SHULTZ.—The Photographer, will leave next week for Oak Orchard, where he will be prepared to do any work in his line of business.

ATTENTION HORSE MEN.—Folk Evil and Flatula cured for \$5; also any horse driven in harness or galloped to the saddle by F. D. Albright, Stanford, 203m.

THE CEMENT ENCOUNTERS.—Commenced business Tuesday, and are allowed one month to complete their work. They have to ask each man about one hundred questions.

ASSOCIATION.—Coffee and Bryant, merchants of Middleburg, have assigned. Assets \$10,000; debts \$2,500. They are clever gentlemen and we regret their loss.

Next Monday will be Cherry Court, and it will also be a night of nice day for you to come in and settle your subscription. Please do so and be happy. Our little ones are suffering.

CALL on D. F. Hask County day if you wish to purchase a No. 1 Huggy or Spring Wagon, as he will have the best lot ever offered in Stanford. Call and examine for yourselves.

THE EXCAVATION.—For the new Town Hall progress slowly. The trouble arises probably from the fact that there are about ten houses to one hand at work. The last one will have a bonanza this Summer.

LOW.—The London (Ky.) Examiner says that Walker Landrum had a row with Thaddeus Thompson at Lexington, and that the latter was drawn. Can this be the young man who recently disappeared from Lancaster?

COLD.—Prof. Verner's prediction that there would be a frost on the night of June 1st, came nearly to fulfillment. It was cold enough to make a good fire comfortable, and many an old stove was hugged Tuesday morning.

SAKE.—Mr. J. W. McAlister, President of the National Bank here, has just purchased a large and improved safe, with the noted Yale time-lock on it. This lock is in use in all of the Government depositories, and is indeed a wonderful invention.

IMPROVING.—Col. T. W. Miller continues to add to his residence till now it is the most convenient as well as among the handsomest in town. The last addition is a veranda made by Mr. J. W. Tharp, of Broadhead, in the finest style of workmanship.

SALE OF LOTS.—Col. W. O. Welch has purchased of Dr. J. B. Owsley, the Sprague property on Main Street for \$2,150 and a lot in rear of it for \$300. He takes the brick that have been made on the premises, and will begin a short time the building of a large two-story house. The lot is a very desirable one, and the improvements will be worthy of it.

STRAWBERRY SUPPER.—The Ladies' Christian Aid Society will give a strawberry and lemon supper in the store-room lately occupied by Mr. Sam Prager, on the night of Thursday, the 10th. It will be conducted on the European plan, that is "for what you want and pay for what you get," and the proceeds are for the benefit of the new Christian Church. We hope that everybody will patronize the ladies. They are working in a good cause and eminently deserve it.

COMMUNION TIME.—Is on again and will be inaugurated next Sunday by a sermon, to be preached in the Court-house by Dr. W. A. Oldham, of Lexington, a distinguished divine of the Reform Church. The annual Communion, which promises to be a grand affair, will occur on Wednesday night, and on Thursday night the regular Communion Exercises. The sweet girl graduates, number six, and are: Miss Betty Remington, Selatonsville; Miss Ruth Crow, Vaindelston; and Miss Georgia Proctor, Anna Roberts, Nettie Hayes Owsley and Bettie Parsons.

MARKED DOWN.—It is a fact well known to all those who have ever sold known of the Hayden Brothers, that they will never allow any other respectable house to undersell them. In view of the fact that their sales have been very large this season, and on account of a desire to sell off their goods as rapidly as possible they have marked them down to the lowest possible limit, and now offer them cheaper than ever.

IN THEIR DRESS.—In their dress, goods, particularly, you can get such bargains as you have not heretofore. These gentlemen are also informed that if they need clothing, the Haydens can supply them at very much reduced prices. In a word, they are determined to sell their goods, and all you have to do is to give them a chance to offer you extraordinary bargains in everything.

LEWIS' TAXABLE PROPERTY.—We are indebted to Mrs. E. A. Bluff, Deputy County Clerk, for the following statistics taken from the Assessor's books just received:

Land, 106,292 acres, valued at \$1,779,232

Town lots, 383, valued at 230,550

Stores, 5,000 " " 112,440

Mules, 100 " " 40,000

Stock, 48 " " 1,217

Cattle, 7,400 " " 10,811

Horses, " " 10,270

Value under the valuation law, \$2,472,310

Value of pleasure carriages, \$1,721

Value of gold and silver ware, \$7,000

Total valuation of property by Assessor \$3,256,641

Superior's increase, 14,903

There are in the County of Lincoln, as returned by the Assessor, 3,240 persons who should pay poll tax; 3,304 legal voters; 3,461 children between the ages of 6 and 20; 5,731 hogs over 6 months old; 5 persons that are blind and 6 that are deaf; only 19 taxableness are returned, but 215 sheep were killed during the year 1879, valued at \$605. 41,300 pounds of tobacco, 175 pounds of hemp, 1,496 tons of hay, 470,240 bushels of corn, and 79,399 bushels of wheat are the reported crops of Lincoln.

LECTURE.—To-night at the Presbyterian Church, Rev. John C. Young will deliver his lecture on "The Last Days" and to be the best of his list. The proceeds are for a most worthy charitable object, and it is hoped that a full audience will greet him. Admission 25 cents.

FOR TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS.—Olive Keasly was taken to the Penitentiary Friday last, by Deputy Sheriff Albright, of Rockcastle, and one guard. His proud spirit must be broken when two men can handle him. He once got away from twenty-five men and a Sheriff, all armed to the teeth.

F. I. CONCERT.—Mrs. N. B. Gray, the accomplished music teacher of Franklin Institute, Lancaster, favored us with a neatly printed programme of her concert on Wednesday night, together with an invitation to attend, but we were forced to forego the pleasure. We are, however, by those who attended that it was a most successful entertainment, and we know by experience, the wonderful ability of Mrs. Gray in this direction.

CHEAP CORNER COUNTER.—The Messrs. Hayden Brothers request us to announce that they have set apart one corner counter in their large store room which they call their "Cheap Corner Counter." We inspected it the other day and found on it an almost endless variety of Summer goods, embracing everything that you can think of. The idea is a novel one, and we predict for their cheap corner counter a popularity co-extensive with the laying public. Just go there and see for yourself what you can get for a very little money.

MIRIAM TRAP.—Col. Tom Watterston, the great Kentucky fisherman, is agent now for Dr. M. J. Laster's famous trout, which secures them very fast, and is thus described: It is a glass plate contrivance, being merely a glass jar about the size and shape of a six-quart bucket, with a funnel-shaped top arranged so as to easily put in or take out the fish entering through the tube of the funnel into the vessel. At the bottom is an opening for the minnows to run into into a bucket. The opening is closed while in the water by a tin door, capable of being or cork bread crumb the bait.

DISTRICT ELECTION.—The name of Judge M. C. Sauley has been warmly suggested by many of his friends as an eminently proper one to receive the appointment of Democratic Presidential Elector from this Congressional District, and we learn from reliable authority that Judge S. will accept the position if tendered him. He should receive it therefore without opposition. No better appointment could be made. He would make a most brilliant, energetic and effective canvasser for our men and our principles, and would sell the Democratic majority by several hundred.

RECEPTION.—On their return from Hustonville, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Hoge were tendered an elegant reception by the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wherritt, of Lancaster. Quite a number of guests were present, and an evening of quiet enjoyment was spent. Of the service was wanting in no particular, we might write columns and not be able to describe it better than by simply saying it was one of Mrs. Wherritt's best.

ALL WHO KNOW that lady's superior culinary taste, will say at once that it was superb. Meats, fowls, cake, etc., in fact almost everything, she presented a slight temptation beyond comparison. The wedding pair will remain at Mr. Wherritt's till the completion of their next little cottage on Stanford street, when the will go in the more prosy life of house-keeping.

TO THE COUNTY COURT.—We wish to make a last appeal to our Magistrate who assemble here next Monday, to purchase and tear down the Ilmre Hotel property. We have repeatedly urged it, and here, in our opinion, given some incontrovertible reasons why it should be done, and done at once. The combustible material of which it is made is a standing menace to the safety of our costly public buildings, which contain deeds and other valuable papers that almost no amount of money could restore. With but a few and far-between exceptions, the people are for the purchase, and we do hope that the Court will order it. The difference in the cost of insuring the Court-House and Jail would in a few years pay for the property. Adjoining property would become more valuable and the addition to the appearance of the town would be such as every citizen would be proud.

AN ELECTION.—Will be held in the various school districts to-morrow for a Trustee to fill the place of the one whose term has expired. "Squire W. R. Carson goes out in this district. Widows with children within the school ages can vote in this election. The patrons of the school and all others interested in the cause of education should see to it that a suitable person is elected—one who has the interest of the children at heart, and who will use his best endeavors in conjunction with the other two Trustees to have a good school taught. One of the most important requisites to a good school is a suitable house. To the shame of this district—the richest in the county—is it said, that we have no place in which to teach a public school. Several years ago they did own a box-house near the depot, but that, being on ground necessary to the railroad, was condemned for railroad purposes, and the house thereon sold, and the proceeds used by the Trustees of the public school in paying the rent of a room in which to have a school taught one session. Since the sale of this box-house the Trustees and teachers have been forced to the necessity of getting a room just wherever they could. At present, owing to the commendable spirit of improvement which has sprung up in our town, the old Sprague house, which was for several seasons rented for the use of the public school, has been torn down and there is not now a single room in town to be had which is at all suitable for public school purposes. We take pride in mentioning the fact that Stanford is rapidly improving, especially in the erection of handsome stores, residences, churches and town halls, but there is never a word said about a public-school-house. There are many children in this district who have never received any tuition except at the public schools, and at present, it seems as if even the little annual allowance will be denied them hereafter, on account of the want of a suitable place in which to teach them. The Trustees, if they will examine the school law, will find that it is their duty to provide a suitable house—that it is their duty to submit the question of taxation for this purpose to the district. A tax of ten or

fifteen cents on each hundred dollars worth of taxable property would raise a sum sufficient for the purpose of purchasing a site and erecting a good house. Let this proposition be given, and let the vote be taken as soon as practicable after the election to-morrow. We have waited long enough, and since the spirit of improvement is so well to do something which will benefit the poor children of our community.

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